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## SUMMARY OF SAFETY AND EFFECTIVENESS

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### D. DATE OF PREPARATION

OF THIS SUMMARY: June 14, 2001

### E. PROPRIETARY (TRADE) NAME: TAC'pin®

### F. COMMON NAME: Bone fixation wire, self tapping threaded wire

### G. CLASSIFICATION NAME AND REFERENCE

*Smooth or threaded metallic bone fixation fastener (21 CFR, Section 888.3040)*

H. **PROPOSED REGULATORY CLASS:** Class II

I. **DEVICE PRODUCT CODE:** 87JDW

J. **PANEL CODE:** 87 OR

K. **DESCRIPTION OF DEVICE:** The TAC'pin® is a self tapping threaded wire. Its proximal part is fixed on a standard surgical power tool equipment and once the threaded wire is introduced and positioned as required, the surgeon cuts the protruding part at the bone surface. The lengths of threads available are the following : 15 – 20 – 25 mm.. This pin is designed with a variable pitch, for a true and adapted compression.

L. **INTENDED USE:** The TAC'pin® is intended to be implanted for fixation of bone fractures or for bone reconstructions.

M. **INDICATIONS FOR USE:** The "new" TAC'pin® is indicated for fixation of bone fractures or for bone reconstruction. Examples include:

Fixation of small bone fragments, in long bones or small bones fractures.

- Arthrodesis in hand or foot surgery
- Mono or Bi-cortical osteotomies in the foot or hand
- Distal or proximal metatarsal or metacarpal osteotomies
- Fixation of osteotomies for Hallux Valgus treatment (such as Scarf, Chevron, etc.)

N. **PREDICATE DEVICE** The "new" TAC'pin® is technically equivalent to the TAC'pin® currently approved (K993910). The "new" TAC'pin® is substantially equivalent to the Threaded fixation pin manufactured by Sgarlato laboratories (K982931), and the Kirschner wires and Steinmann pins manufactured by Syntec-Taichung Medical Instruments (K983121).

O. **COMPARISON OF TECHNOLOGICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

The "new" TAC'pin® is technically equivalent to the device currently approved. They have the same intended use, the same material, and the design of the active part (threaded part) has not changed. The following design change should however be noted : The diameter of the proximal (non threaded) part of the pin has been decreased from 1.7mm to 1.6mm, for a better adaptation to power drills (wire drivers) commonly used by the surgeons. This has not changed anything to the "active" part of the pin, as this proximal part of diameter 1.6mm is cut by the surgeon once the pin is in place. It does not remain in the patient.



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Re: K011875  
Trade/Device Name: TAC'pin®  
Regulation Number: 888.3040  
Regulatory Class: II  
Product Code: JDW  
Dated: June 14, 2001  
Received: June 15, 2001

Dear Dr. Estrin:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (Premarket Approval), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 895. A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the Current Good Manufacturing Practice requirements, as set forth in the Quality System Regulation (QS) for Medical Devices: General regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic QS inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801 and additionally 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4659. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its internet address "<http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html>".

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation  
(ODE)

Prescription Use  
OR

Over-the-Counter Use

(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

(Optional Format 1-2-96)



(Division Sign-Off)  
Division of General, Restorative  
and Neurological Devices

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